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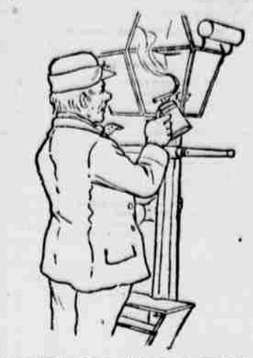

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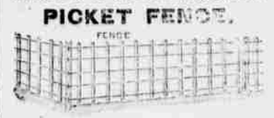

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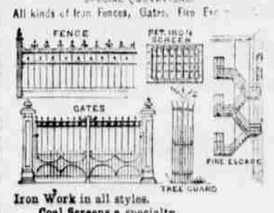

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On the banks of the Loire, a short distance from Vendome, there stands an old house, brown gabled and solitary. There is no other house near it. There is not even one of those taverns that are usually to be found on the outskirts of small towns. Extending down before it to the river is a garden where the once orderly box-trees that marked the alleys now intertangle at will. The house itself is partially concealed from sight by a number of willows. The sloping shore is covered by a luxuriant growth of weeds. The fruit trees, neglected for years, no longer produce, while the fallen leaves and broken twigs form a dense coppice beneath them. The paths, which once were sanded, have entirely disappeared. It looks as though it had once been the habitation of a gentleman who had a fondness for cultivating fruits and flowers. An arbor, or rather the remnants of an arbor, in which a table stands, is still to be seen.

The roof of the house is utterly decayed. The shutters are never opened, the balconies are covered with swallows' nests, the doors are closed. Weeds have lined the steps with green. The iron work is brown with rust. Sun, moon, Summer, Winter, rain and snow have rotted the wood, warped the boards and destroyed the paint. The mournful silence that reigns there is disturbed, if at all, only by the coming and going of birds and reptiles. Over it all the word "Mystery" has been written with an invisible hand.

On approaching it from the road a curved-topped wooden gate is to be seen, in which the children of the town have made a number of holes. This gate I afterwards learned, had been locked for ten years. Through the holes a view can be obtained of the courtyard. There the disorder is the same. The stones are framed in bouquets of weeds. The walls are furrowed by crevices and festooned with climbing plants; the steps that lead to the front door of the house are out of place; the bellrope is worn away; the waterspouts are broken. Instinctively one wonders what can have happened there. But the walls give no answer and the reptiles crawl on without reply. All I knew was that the house had once been occupied by the Comte and Comtesse de Merret.

This empty and deserted house was an enigma to me. I found the first key to its solution from the narrative of the landlady of a tavern in the town.

"I must tell you," said she, "in the first place, that two months before I came here the Comte de Merret went to Paris, where he died, after giving himself up to excesses of every kind. The day he went away his wife took all the furniture out of the house and left the place. Some say she burned the furniture, tapestries, and all the other objects, in the open field at Merret. For the preceeding three months the Count and Countess had been acting in a very queer manner. They received no one. The Countess lived on the ground floor, and the Count on the one above. After the Count went away the Countess was never seen, except at church. Later on, at her chateau, she refused to see her relatives and friends that came to visit her. She gave all her property to the hospital here in Vendome. But the property she disposed of in this wise: The house and grounds were to remain for fifty years, dating from the day of death, in the condition in which they might be at the time of her decease. She forbade any one to enter them, under any pretext whatsoever, and left a sum of money for the pay of keepers should they be necessary for the execution of her wishes. At the expiration of this term, provided the wishes of the testatrix had been observed, the house is to belong to the heirs of her lawyer.

"As for M. de Merret, why, he was an elegant gentleman. He paid cash for everything. You see, he was excitable. The ladies all liked him. You see, he must have had something about him to marry Mme. de Merret, who, not that I want to disparage any one else, was by far the prettiest and richest girl in Vendome. She had something like 20,000 francs a year. The whole town was at the wedding. The bride looked lovely, a real jewel of a woman. Mme. de Merret was a nice little thing who had to put up with a great deal from her husband and his temper. She was proud, too; but we all liked her.

"When the Emperor sent the spanish prisoners here, I lodged, at the Government's expense, a young Spaniard who had come to Vendome on parol. In spite of his parole he went every day to show himself to the prefect. He was a grandee—think of it! He had a name which ended in *os* and in *dia*, something like Bagos de Feredia. I wrote it on the book: you can see if you want to. He was a handsome young fellow for a Spaniard, for all Spaniards, I hear are ugly. He wasn't more than five feet two, but he was well made. He had small hands, and you should have seen the way he took care of them. He had as many brushes for them as a lady for her toilet. He had black hair and brown eyes. His complexion was rather dark, but it pleased me all the same. He wore the finest linen I have ever seen, although I have lodged princes and among others, General Bertrand, the Duke and Duchess d'Abrantes, M. Decazes and the King of Spain. He didn't eat much, but then he had such polite manners that no one could take offense. Oh, I liked him very much, although to be sure, he didn't say four words a day, and it was impossible to have the least conversation with him. If any one spoke to him he didn't answer. It was a trick—a way they all have, I hear. He read his breviary like a priest, and he went regularly to mass and all the services. Afterward we remembered that he always stood a step or two from Mme. de Merret's seat, but as he chose that place the first time he went to church no one could say that it was intentional. Besides, poor young fellow, he never lifted his nose out of the prayer book. In the evening he used to walk on the mountain among the ruins of the chateau; it reminded him of his country. In Spain, they say, it's all mountains. From the very first he came in late at night. It used to worry me when it got to be midnight and he had not returned, but after a while we got accustomed to his ways. He would take the key and let himself in when he chose. This went on for some time. One evening a hostler told us that while he had been bathing his horses, he thought he saw the grandee swimming like a fish, far out in the river. When I saw him again I told him to be careful about the weeds, but he didn't seem to like it. He was vexed because he had been seen, I suppose. Finally, one day, or rather one morning, his room was empty and his bed had not been slept in. After looking all around I discovered a note in the drawer of his table, and with it fifty Spanish gold pieces which were worth about 5000 francs, and also a sealed box with diamonds in it that were worth 10,000 more. The note said that, in case he did not return, the gold and diamonds were to be ours, provided we had masses said in thanksgiving for his safety and escape. My husband, who was living then, started off to look for him, and—this is the curious part of the whole affair—when he came back he brought with him the Spaniard's clothes. He had found them under a big stone on the bank of the river, almost opposite the Count's chateau. After reading the letter he burned the clothes and we said he had escaped. My husband thought he was drowned, but I didn't. I thought he was in some way mixed up in Mme. de Merret's affair, the more so as Rosalie, her maid told me that the crucifix which her mistress was so fond of that she had it buried with her was of ebony and silver, and when the Count Feredia first came here he had one of ebony and silver, too, but I never saw it with him but once. Now, tell me, sir, ought I to have any remorse about the 10,000 francs, and aren't they honestly mine?"

"Certainly they are. But where can I find Rosalie?"

She told me, and after I had found the ex-waiting maid, and crossed her palm with silver, she narrated the following strange story:

The room which Mme. de Merret occupied in the chateau was situated on the ground floor. The wardrobe she used was a little closet about four feet deep, which had been built into the wall. Three months previous to the particular evening of which I am to tell you, Mme. de Merret had been so ill that her husband had removed to the floor above. Through some one of those fortuitous circumstances that can never be foreseen, M. de Merret, on this particular evening, returned from his club fully two hours later than he was accustomed to do. His wife thought him at home in bed and asleep. He had gotten excited over a game of billiards, and he had lost forty francs—an enormous sum at Vendome, where every one is niggardly. For some time past M. de Merret had contented himself with asking Rosalie if his wife were asleep, whereupon—her answer being always in the affirmative—he had gone to his own room with that easy indifference that is born of habit and confidence. But on this evening he decided to see Mme. de Merret and tell her of his misadventure. It may be that he hoped she would console him. At dinner he had noticed that she was particularly well dressed. On his way home from club he told himself that his wife was better, that convalescence had improved her looks—a circumstance which, after the fashion of husbands, he had been a little late in perceiving. Instead, therefore of calling Rosalie, who happened to be in the kitchen watching the cook and coachman play cards, M. de Merret went directly to his wife's room. His step which was easy to recognize, echoed through the arches of the corridor. Just as he was on the point of entering the room, he thought he heard some one shut the closet door, but on going in he found his wife standing alone before the fire. At first he fancied, innocently enough, that Rosalie was in the closet, but suddenly, with abrupt suspicion, he looked at his wife's face. The expression which it wore was vaguely suggestive of excitement and anxiety.

"You are late," she said. Her voice, ordinarily clear and musical, seemed to him somewhat troubled. He made no answer, for at that moment Rosalie entered. His wonderment deepened. With his arms crossed before him he paced mechanically up and down the room, going from one window to another.

"Have you heard any bad news? Are you ill?" his wife asked, timidly, while Rosalie was helping her to undress. Still, he made no answer.

"You may go," Mme. de Merret said to her maid. "I will do my hair myself." Her husband's face showed clearly that something had gone wrong and she wished to be alone with him.

When Rosalie had gone, or was supposed to have gone—for as a matter of fact she lingered in the corridor—M. de Merret stepped forward to where his wife stood, looked straight at her and said, coldly, "Madame, there is some one in that closet."

She returned his gaze calmly and said, with an air of candor, "No there is no one."

To M. de Merret this reply was an added torture. He did not believe it, and yet his wife had never seemed purer and more innocent than she did at that moment. Nevertheless, he made a movement as though to open the closet. Mme. de Merret caught his hand, looked sadly at him, and said, in a voice that was singularly touching:

"If you find no one, remember that all will be at an end between us."

The supreme dignity of her attitude inspired her husband with a renewed respect for her and brought to him at the same time one of those ideas which need only a vaster theatre to become immortal.

"No," he said "I will not open it. In either case we would be separated forever. Listen: I know the purity of your heart. I know that you lead the life of a saint and I am positive that you would not commit a sin at the expense of your soul." At these words Mme. de Merret's face grew haggard. "Look—here is your crucifix," he added; "now swear—swear, before God, that there is no one there. I will believe you and I will not open the door."

Mme. de Merret took the crucifix, and said: "I swear it."

"Louder," said her husband, "and repeat after me: 'I swear, before God, that there is no one in that closet."

She repeated the words without embarrassment.

"That will do," said M. de Merret. Then, after a momentary silence, during which he curiously examined the crucifix, which was of ebony incrusted in silver, he added: "That is a beautiful crucifix: I never saw it before."

"I bought it at Duvivier's when the prisoners passed through Vendome last year. He bought it of a Spaniard."

"Did he? Indeed!" M. de Merret replaced the crucifix on its stand and rang the bell. When Rosalie appeared, a moment later, M. de Merret led her quickly to the embrasure of a window and whispered: "I know that Gorenflot wants to marry you; poverty alone has prevented him. You told him you would not be his wife until he was a master mason. Now run and look for him. Tell him to come here and bring his trowel. He will be richer than you ever hoped he could be. But mind this: on your way out, say nothing; otherwise"—he looked at her in an insignificant way.

Rosalie started to go. He called her back. "Here—take my key." Then, in a thundering voice, he called through the corridor, "Jean!"

Jean, who was both valet and coachman, left his cards and came. His master motioned to him to come nearer. "Go to bed, all of you," he said. Then, in a whisper, he added: "When they are all asleep—*asleep*, do you hear?—come and tell me."

After giving these orders M. de Merret, who meanwhile had not lost sight of his wife, came quietly to the fire, where she stood, and began to tell her about his game of billiards and the gossip of the club. When Rosalie returned she found them chatting in the friendliest way.

Some time before M. de Merrett had caused fresh ceilings to be put through that part of the ground floor which was used for reception rooms. Now plaster is not to be had in Vendome, and the cost of importing makes it expensive. Knowing there would always be purchasers for it, M. de Merret had consequently ordered a large quantity. This circumstance suggested the plan which he then began to execute.

"Gorenflot is here, sir," said Rosalie, in an undertone.

"Show him in," he answered.

When Mme. de Merret saw the mason she turned pale.

"Gorenflot," said M. de Merret, "go to the stable and get some bricks; get enough to wall up the door of that closet; you'll find plenty of plaster." Then, drawing Rosalie and the mason aside, he addressed Gorenflot in a whisper: "You sleep here to-night, but to-morrow you shall have a passport to a town in a foreign country. I will give you 6000 francs for your expenses. You must stay away ten years. If you do not like the town you go to you can choose another, provided it is in the same country. First go to Paris and wait for me there. In Paris I will give you a paper that will insure you 6000 francs more—when the bargain is completed. In return for this you must never lisp a word of what you do here to-night. As for you, Rosalie, you shall have 10,000 francs the day you are married to Gorenflot; but to have them you must hold your tongue. Otherwise, not a penny!"

"Rosalie," said Mme. de Merret, "come and do my hair."

Her husband walked calmly up and down, watching his wife, the mason and the door, but he did so in an unsuspicious and natural manner.

Gorenflot was obliged to make a certain amount of noise: once, when he was putting down a hod of bricks, while the Count happened to be at the other end of the room, Mme. de Merret seized the opportunity to say to Rosalie: "A thousand francs a year for you, if you manage to tell Gorenflot to leave a crevis at the bottom." Then, raising her voice, she said, with an air of utter indifference: "Go and help him."

During the entire time that Gorenflot took to wall up the door the Count and Countess sat in silence. On the husbands part the silence was intentional; on that of the wife it was pride. When the wall was half done the mason, seeing M. de Merret's back turned, took the opportunity to break one of the two panes of glass that were in the door. This incident proved to Mme. de Merret that Rosalie had spoken to Gorenflot. All three then saw a man's face, sombre, dark, with black hair and glistening eyes. Before her husband turned the poor woman had the time to make a gesture to him, which signified hope.

At 4 o'clock, toward sunrise—for it was then September—the construction mas finished. The mason was put under Jean's care, and M. de Merret slept in his wife's room.

That morning, on arising, he said, carelessly: "By the way, I must go to the Mayor's for the passport." He put his hat on, took three steps toward the door, turned back and took the crucifix.

His wife trembled with joy. "He is going to Duvivier's, too," she thought. As soon as her husband had gone she called to Rosalie. "Quick!" she cried, "a pickaxe! I saw how Gorenflot worked; we will have time to make an opening and fill it up again."

In a trice Rosalie had brought the tool to her mistress, who at once began to tear down the wall. She had already knocked out several bricks, when turning in an effort to strike a harder blow, she saw M. de Merret behind her, and fell fainting to the ground.

"Put her in bed," said her husband, coldly. Forseeing what would happen in his absence, he had laid a trap for his wife. He had simply written to the Mayor and sent for Duvivier. The jeweler arrived when the room was once more in order.

"Duvivier," he asked, "did you buy a crucifix of a Spaniard who passed through here?"

"No, sir."

"Very good: I am obliged to you," and M. de Merret gave his wife the look of a tiger. "Jean," he added, turning to the valet, "hereafter you will serve my food here. Madame de Merret is ill; I shall not leave her until she has recovered."

Twenty days he stayed in his wife's room. At first, when some noise or other came from the walled closet and his wife attempted to plead for the dying stranger, without even permitting her to say a word he would answer: "Madame, you swore on the cross there was no one there. I must believe you."

A Dude Discomfited.

MISS ANNA WARREN STORY'S AMUSING EXPERIENCE IN A FIFTH AVENUE PARLOR.

Miss Anna Warren Story, the accomplished elocutionist, is a handsome woman—the perfect reproduction of the ideal classical female. During Lent she gave recitations in private parlors. A young dude became infatuated with her several months ago and was devoted in his attentions. He conceived the brilliant idea of reciting with the lady of his heart. The result of it all was that a catastrophe happened, which Miss Story related to a *Mail and Express* reporter as thus:

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The Columbian.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1886.

Mr. Buckalew will consent to be a candidate for Congress at the next election. In his view this end of the district is fairly entitled to the Congressman for the next term, and his training in public service has been such as to invite his selection.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

Premeditated crime is always committed under cover of secrecy and darkness. The murderer and the thief leave no witnesses to bring them to justice, and it is a very unusual thing that criminals of this class are convicted on direct evidence. Circumstantial evidence is therefore resorted to as a necessity, and it is sometimes fully as convincing as positive proof made by eye-witnesses. When a large number of reputable persons disclose a connected story on the witness stand, each one making a single link, a little circumstance which in itself may seem to have no bearing on the case, but which taken in connection with many other circumstances form a continuous chain, and weave about the prisoner on trial a network with meshes so close that there seems no possibility of escape, there is no more probability of an unjust conviction than in a case where a few witnesses swear positively that they saw the crime committed. Circumstantial evidence may convict an innocent person; so may perjured direct evidence. There are cases of both kinds reported.

Isaac Waltman, who was sentenced last Saturday in the court of this county, was convicted of arson on circumstantial evidence. There seemed to be no missing link; all the witnesses for the prosecution were respected citizens; not one of them had any prejudice against the accused; he was tried by an intelligent jury; nearly all who heard the evidence agreed that the verdict was a just one, and yet there are some peculiar things about the case, especially in regard to the motive which prompted the act. Waltman does not belong to the criminal class. He is a man of respectable connections of fair intelligence, and who, according to the undisputed testimony of those who have known him from his childhood, has always borne an excellent reputation as a boy, a soldier and a man. He is not the kind of man that would be suspected of breaking into a building at night to set fire to it, and when he stood before the court for sentence he called upon God to witness that he was innocent of the crime. One of two propositions is true—either an innocent man is ruined in happiness and reputation by a set of peculiar circumstances which unfortunately surrounded him, or else Isaac Waltman has added the crime of the worst kind of perjury to that of arson.

Anarchists and Free Speech.

The American people have been for so long a time accustomed to free speech and have in general exercised this freedom with such wise discretion that it has not until quite recently occurred to either people or authorities that there was any real danger from the fullest exercise of this privilege. Even the incendiary harangues of Most and his red-mouthed followers were ridiculed as the utterances of a lot of cranks and fanatics, who would be the last persons to put in practice their own extravagant doctrines and who would not be able to induce anybody else to do so.

The bomb-throwing episode in Chicago, however, opened the eyes of the American public to the fact that the unbridled license of press and speech allowed these fellows had turned the heads of a lot of their followers. They had been led to believe that because Most, Spies, Parsons and Schwab were permitted to say in print and speech what they pleased they would be allowed to do what they pleased, even to the extreme of murder and plunder. Their first attempt to practice the doctrines that Most and Spies preached proved disastrous alike to Anarchists and the representatives of the law. The bomb-throwers were suppressed promptly enough, but not until several of the policemen had been fatally wounded.

This Anarchist outburst has very naturally set the administrators of the law to thinking that there might be a reasonable limit to the indulgence of free speech. Judge Rogers, in his charge to the Chicago grand jury, stated distinctly that the men who incited others to riot, arson and murder by incendiary speech were responsible for the deeds committed by their instigation and could be held answerable in law. In other words, the men who counseled murder, riot and arson in public speeches can be held responsible for such crimes equally with those who commit them. The Judge held further that the police had a right to suppress these incendiary meetings to prevent the commission of crime.

The position of Judge Rogers would seem to be good law and certainly it is good sense. The Constitution of Pennsylvania expressly declares that while every citizen may freely speak, write and print on any subject, he is also responsible for the abuse of that liberty. This is the spirit that pervades all the State Constitutions, whether the privilege of free speech and its limitations are stated in so many words or not. The man or men who publicly incite other men to riot, arson and murder are guilty of the most flagrant abuse of the right of free speech and should be called strictly to account for the abuse. Fortunately, Judge Rogers has led the way in this matter, and his example should be followed by all Judges in localities where the Anarchist element has secured a foothold.—*Times.*

Senator Wolverton for Governor.

The Associated Press sends out the following despatch which it received:

MIDDLEBURGH, May 25.—The Democratic County Committee met here today, Chairman Snyder, presiding. Joseph G. Lesher, of the Selinsgrove *Times and News*, was elected delegate to the State Convention. Senator Wolverton, of Sunbury, was unanimously endorsed by resolution as a candidate for Governor at the next State Convention and the delegate instructed to use all honorable means to accomplish his nomination, the assurance being given that in such event Snyder county would do her full share towards his election. A full representation was present and great interest and harmony prevailed.

Bayard's Relations With the President.

I met to day a noted statesman from Delaware. Said he: The people of this country do not rightly appreciate Tom Bayard and his relation to the President. They think the two are wide apart, when in reality they are closer together than any other members of the administration. President Cleveland asks Bayard's advice very often and he counsels with him as to matters both in and out of his department. Tom Bayard stands as well in Delaware as ever, and the people there think he is a great man. He has his present position by the force of his brains and not by his family, though I suppose that helps him a little. His greatest lack is personal magnetism. If he had this he would be one of the most popular of the noted men of the day. He is too much wrapped up in work to be a good fellow socially.—*Cleveland Leader.*

Brutal Treatment.

THE CHESTER SPRINGS SCHOOL AGAIN IN TROUBLE.

The Philadelphia *Record* of Monday contains the following: The children at Chester Springs Soldiers' Orphans' School have been brutally treated by those in authority. Following the case of the Fowler boy, who was beaten by a teacher in such a way that even Manager Van Horn pronounced it too severe, there come three others that shock humanity. One was that of James P. Falls, who ran away from school, and who was allowed by Judges Hagenman and Ermentrout to remain at home with his mother. The second case was that of a boy named Werntz, who was struck in the jaw by Manager Van Horn, so that the side of his face swelled to a great size, and it was believed that the jaw had been broken. The third case was that of a boy named John Hunter, who was beaten for writing a letter to the Governor complaining of ill-treatment.

Two weeks ago Werntz was struck in the jaw with a ruler by Mr Van Horn. A lump appeared, and in a little while it developed into a large swelling that enveloped the entire side of the face. His companions saw the result of the blow, and the story immediately spread through the surrounding country that the boy's jaw had been broken. A *Record* reporter visited the place on Thursday and saw the lad, but he refused to say anything about the injury, and it was difficult to ascertain the facts of the case. Manager Van Horn was absent in Reading, and no explanation could then be obtained from him. On Friday a telegram was sent to the Manager, asking where he could be seen on Saturday. He anticipated his second visitor by calling at the *Record* office on Friday night and then attempted to explain a number of stories that were in circulation regarding his treatment of helpless children. When the Werntz case was touched upon he manifested an usual dread of publicity, saying that if the boy's uncle heard of the charges he would immediately come to the school and there might be trouble. Mr. Van Horn pooh-poohed the story that the boy had been struck, or that the jaw had been broken by a blow. Then he produced a certificate from one Morris Fussell, who is supposed to supply the drugs to the institution and to doctor nearly 300 children, all for the small sum of $175 a year.

This certificate was addressed to Mr. Van Horn, and it declared that the swelling in the boy's face was due to his teeth. Upon the basis of this letter from the physician of the school Mr. Van Horn began to discount all stories that were told by the children in the way of complaint, and after declaring positively that he never struck the boy in the jaw, he volunteered to describe in detail how the Werntz boy had gone to Dr. Fussell's house, the trouble with a diseased root and the formation of an abscess in the jaw. "But," he continued, "when I asked Dr Fussell to write this explanation in full, he said the case was so trifling that he thought it would be ridiculous to go into the whole story, and so he wrote this short note which I have shown to you."

Mr. Van Horn seemed to be telling the truth. He certainly was fortified with a positive statement from Dr. Fussell, and there seemed to be little reason for doubting its correctness. Subsequently he manifested such a fear lest the boy's name be published in connection with the story of a broken jaw that suspicions were aroused, and on Saturday Dr. James E. Garretson was asked to suggest some competent person who could be induced to go to Chester Springs and examine the boy's face. Dr. Garretson is the author of a standard text-book on dental surgery; he is Dean of the Philadelphia Dental College and President of the Medico-Chirurgical College and would be regarded as the best of authority. When the facts of the case were related to him the doctor kindly volunteered to go in person. The school was reached at 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, and by direction of Mr. Van Horn the boy was brought into the doctor's presence the jaw being polticed and bound up in muslin. After an examination Doctor Garretson said it was a case of periostitis, which is an inflammation of the periostem, the membrane enveloping the jawbone. He said the inflammation was not in any way associated with dental trouble, and must have been produced by some injury. Then the boy was asked in the presence of Manager Van Horn whether he had been struck on the jaw, and he said Mr. Van Horn had hit him there with a ruler two weeks ago. The Manager became rather alarmed at this state of affairs, and asked the distinguished physician whether any more serious results would follow the injury, and wanted to know where he could send the boy for treatment.

The finding of Dr. Garretson establishes the utter worthlessness of the certificate given by the school physician Dr. Morris Fussell, who, either from ignorance or from a desire to shield the Manager in his wrong doing, had signed his name to a statement that was used for the purpose of deception. What the outcome of the Manager's misconduct in striking the blow will be is not yet known, but it is certain that his actions shows him to be entirely unfitted for the responsible work of training 300 children. The school is in a state of demoralization, and the club is being used on the little ones with merciless force. It is possible that the relatives of young Werntz will move upon the school authorities.

When Dr. Smith Buttermore represented Fayette county in the Legislature he was a regular attendant of a Bible class taught by Judge Simonton, before whom he was tried and convicted of conspiracy.

It is reported that Wednesday, June 9th is the day set for the marriage of President Cleveland and Miss Frankie Folsom.

Dio Lewis Dead.

Dr. Dio Lewis, the author and reformer, died at his home at Yonkers, N. Y. at three o'clock last Friday morning from erysipelas, after an illness of two or three days.

Dr. Dio Lewis was born at Auburn, New York in 1823; studied medicine with Dr. Briggs, of that city; took his medical course in the Harvard Medical School, Boston; began the practice of his profession in his native place in 1845, and two years later removed to Buffalo, where he practiced from 1847 to 1852, having meanwhile become a convert to the homœopathic school of medicine. He soon, however, abandoned the practice of medicine and became the deadly foe of physicians of every school. He began to lecture on hygiene, devised a new system of gymnastics, and in 1860 settled in Boston, where he established a Normal School for Physical Training. This was continued until 1867, when the building was destroyed by fire. He continued preaching his new system of training up to the day of his death, and generally published a periodical in which he set forth his peculiar views.

Ten or twelve years ago he published in Philadelphia for a time a weekly called *To-Day*. In 1883 he removed to New York, where he began the publication of *Dio Lewis' Monthly*, and of late has been editing a serial with the quaint title of *Nuggets*. Several of his books have had a large circulation.

The body of Dr. Dio Lewis was cremated at Fresh Pond, New York, Monday. Mrs. Lewis and some of her family all draped in deep morning, occupied front seats in the building. A little before 3 o'clock the body was brought into the room in a coffin covered with black cloth. It was taken from the coffin and placed upon an iron catafalque, where for a few minutes it was viewed by those in the room. It was half buried in flowers.

The body was left in the furnace until the next morning.

A layman writes an earnest and respectful letter to Dr. Lyman Abbott which will prove very suggestive to the clergy. "I have been struggling for years," he says, "against a constantly increasing dislike to attendance at church. The principal causes is the sermon. I go there asking for bread, and chaff is given to me. I want to learn more about the Bible; about each book, who wrote it, when it was written, in what language, what books have not been included, and why; knowledge of the people referred to there, gathered from other sources than the Bible; a complete historical view of the Jewish people from Abraham to the present time, giving habits, dress, etc.; the New Testament books, writers, dates, authenticity, etc.; a picture of the origin of Christianity and its development, proof of its divine origin, to furnish arguments for opposing scepticism; a knowledge of other religions, in other parts of the world, their good points and their defects; a knowledge of the sects of the Christian Church; and other information of a similar character. I wish for a sermon that would be a digest of Darwin's ideas of evolution applied by a Christian scholar to the Biblical story reconciling them. I wish the ministers would read some of the books and articles that are continually appearing, which are founded on truth, but which contradict some of the beliefs of strict Puritanism in which we were brought up. . . . Then I turn to the pulpit for help, and the sermon may be on Romans iii., 10, 'There is none righteous, no, not one.' It may begin with a pleasant exordium, the text may be divided into three heads, the meaning and application of the word 'righteous' etc., followed by an eloquent and emotional peroration. To me this is chaff. To many of my neighbors it is a real help and consolation, and I am thankful it is so. But what am I to do? I cannot go on year after year in this dutiful but unsatisfactory and very unpleasant way. Every minister's sermon seems to be moulded in the same form. It is filled in with a new arrangement of the same words, and some new rhetorical figures; there are some quotations of beautiful thoughts; the language is well chosen, and the emotions of the listeners are aroused; but what is there for thought afterward? What is there of fact and knowledge to fortify me with arguments against all sorts of opposing questions."

Buckhorn.

The rain fall during the showers last Thursday and Saturday evenings did much damage to cornfields. Most of the farmers are re-planting.

We are pleased to see our old time friend, Johnny Hartman, among us again. He returned from Missouri on Friday, being absent about a year and a half.

Our supervisors laid the road tax on Saturday. The rate is 2½ mills.

Mr. Hermon Custer and Miss Maud Hartman, of the M. E. S. School, and Mr. Lloyd Foulk and Miss Charity Stecker of the Lutheran School are chosen delegates for the coming S. S. Convention at Catawissa.

John Robins and wife of Pottsgrove were in town Saturday and Sunday at Wm. Ohl's.

On Thursday, June 10th at 2 o'clock P. M. Mortimer Whitehead of New Jersey, will talk to the farmers of this section in Masteller's Grove near Heller's Church. Every body is invited to attend. Mr. Whitehead is classed among the best lecturers in the order of Patrons of Husbandry. A number of this place have listened to him before, and they pronounce him excellent. No farmer should fail to see him.

The Sunday Schools of this place are invited to meet a division of the Grand Army at the Vanderslice cemetery on Saturday next.

Efforts are being made to repair the fence around the Vanderslice cemetery. Subscription papers are out and thus far no opposition has been met. Most have responded liberally. A right step.

The insect known as the "Hessian fly" is doing considerable damage to our wheat crops. Percival Foulk is using one of his fields of wheat for pasture.

Chewing gum is in the height of its glory over here. Our papas and mamas chew it with much delight. Ha! ha! ha! Aren't we glad? It certainly must be good. "As the parent so the child," used to be the saying, but now it is,—as the child so the parent.

Binder agents are doing their best. As for me and my house give me the Buckeye Lowdown.

Miss Kate Shoemaker expects to spend a few weeks with Mrs. Torello Chamberlin of Pine Summit.

Saturday, June 5th the Grangers will have a fishing party.

She Eloped With an Italian.

The town of Audenried, situated in the lower end of Luzerne county, is in a fever of excitement over the elopement of Miss Rose Hopkins one of the most accomplished young ladies in the village, and an Italian laborer employed on the new Schuylkill branch. Miss Hopkins is the daughter of Richard Hopkins, Superintendent of the Audenried Coal Company, and had a home of ease and refinement. Monday morning, when the servants went to Miss Hopkins's room to call her for breakfast, the door was found open. At first it was not known what had become of the young lady, and when it was hinted that an elopement had occurred it was believed that, if such was really the case, the young lady had gone with one of her many admirers. Nobody for a moment thought that it was the Italian laborer. Further investigation however, showed that an elopement had really taken place, and that the Italian was the man in the case. The irate father has telegraphed in all directions to intercept the runaways.

The Italian's name is Antoneto Beleshi, and those who knew him say he is a highly accomplished scholar. How he ever came to work on a railroad they couldn't understand. He told one man that he was the son of a Count, but had to leave Italy for political reasons. He formed Miss Hopkin's acquaintance by passing through her father's yard for water. The young lady is about 21 years of age, a graduate of a seminary, and styled by the young men as haughty and very independent. It is believed the runaways have gone West.

TEWKSBURY'S SPACE.

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Delegate Election, July 26.
Convention, July 27.

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FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
(Subject to action of Democratic Convention,)
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
Of Catawissa, Columbia Co., Pa.

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"The people's law is habitually violated, evaded and defied."

"No free government can long exist where the organic law of the State is habitually defied."

"The Constitution of 1874 is not communistic. It assails no right of property, nor does it give countenance to principles which would degrade or demoralize society.

"The Constitution cannot wholly enforce itself, nor could it provide detailed regulations for its enforcement; these must be provided by the Legislature."

"In the selection of members of the Legislature at the next general election, select only such as are pledged to the long-neglected work of Constitutional enforcement."—*From address of Constitutional Committee*, 1886.

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Democrats of Columbia County: The above are my sentiments and if nominated and elected, pledge myself to labor in all honorable ways to carry it into effect.

Truly Yours,
E. M. TEWKSBURY.

Lightstreet

Rev. Owen preached for the M. E. congregation on Sunday night. It is expected that he will fill the balance of the conference year as a supply.

Although there is no licensed hotel at the upper end of our town, Mr. Fairman will keep a temperance house where guests will be served to the best wishes of all.

Jacob Dildine of Greenwood stopped in town on the 24inst.

C. M. Terwilliger and family of Buckhorn spent Sunday in town visiting friends.

H. C. Kelchner, C. C. Trench, Geo. Reighard and J. M. Hulshizer took a trip to Delaware last week returning on Friday somewhat delighted with the country.

C. H. Kline, has left, but not like some, for parts unknown. He has gone to Hazelton where he will be found in the grocery business.

Our genial tinners C. B. Eut & Bro. are now prepared to supply parties with tin roofing.

The recent rains have done considerable damage for some of the farmers in this section of the country, washing out almost all the planted corn.

Relatives of Abram Custer from Philadelphia paid him a visit during the past week.

Miss Clara Oman is visiting her brother. J. W. Oman, cadet at Annapolis, Md.

Labor and liquor are the leading issues of the day, and the party that puts itself straight on these questions and keeps there, is bound to be the great party of the future.

Martin Purcell of Centralia was appointed on Wednesday at Pottsville by the Miners' Amalgamated Association as one of the three arbitrators to settle the strike at Williamstown, and the dissatisfaction at Shamokin. The Companies will choose a second arbitrator, and these two a third.

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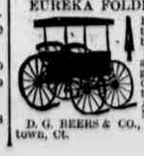

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CANDIDATES.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,

F. L. SHUMAN,

Of Catawissa.

Subject to decision of Democratic party. Delegate election will be held July 26, Convention, July 27.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,

JAMES T. FOX,

Of Beaver Township.

Subject to decision of Democratic party. Delegate election will be held July 26, Convention, July 27.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,

A. L. FRITZ,

Of Bloomsburg.

Subject to decision of Democratic party. Delegate election will be held July 26, Convention, July 27.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF R. H. LITTLE, DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to distribute funds in the hands of the administrator, will sit at his office in Berwick, pa, on Saturday, June 26, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested in said estate must appear and present their claims and those indebted to the same to make payment to the undersigned without delay. W. E. SMITH, Auditor.

may 28.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF GEORGE CLARK LINDEN, A MINOR.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to distribute funds in guardian's hands as per guardian account, will meet parties interested at his office in Berwick, at 9 o'clock a. m. on Thursday, June 24, 1886, when and where all parties having claims against the said estate must appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. W. E. SMITH, Auditor.

may 28.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

IN THE COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA CO.

Mary E. Jones, by her next friend, S. W. Hill vs. William E. Jones.

To Wm. E. Jones, respondent above named: Whereas upon the libel of the said Mary E. Jones a subpœna was issued out of the said court Commanding you to be and appear at the next regular term of said Court to show cause why the said libelant should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony contracted by you; and whereas upon return of said subpœna due proof was made that you could not be found in the bailwick of the Sheriff of said county, whereupon an *alias* subpœna was awarded by said Court commanding you to appear at the then next term of said Court to answer as aforesaid, to which the same return was made by the Sheriff. You are therefore required to be and appear on the first day of the next term of said Court to be held at Bloomsburg, for said county, on the fourth Monday of September next, A. D. 1886, to answer said complaint.

may 28 4t. SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Estate of Aaron Hendershott, late of the town of Bloomsburg, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Aaron Hendershott, deceased, having been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned executrix all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same without delay to

LAVINA HENDERSHOTT,
GEO. E. ELWELL, ATTY. Executrix.
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NOTICE.—I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that my wife, Margaret Boudman, has left my bed and board, taken with her two children, under the age of 7 years, against my will, and that I will pay no debts of their contraction.

May 14, 86-4t. GEORGE BOUDMAN.

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List of Dealers in Columbia county.

I hereby certify that the following list of dealers taken, returned and classified by me in accordance with the several Acts of Assembly 18 and for the year 1886, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Names & Business.	Class.	License.
BEAVER.		
G P Dreisbach store	14	7 00
D L Singley store	14	7 00
J P Smith hotel	5	50 00
Levi Michael store	14	7 00
T J Shuman store	14	7 00
G J Munson store	14	7 00
BENTON.		
Hiram Hess hotel	5	50 00
J J McHenry st re	13	10 00
A & H McHenry store	14	7 00
McHenry & Carey furniture store	14	7 00
J E Edson store	14	7 00
Rohr McHenry store	13	10 00
Lemuel Drake hotel	5	50 00
M & T C McHenry drugs and hardware	13	10 00
C M Smith store	14	7 00
John Heacock store	14	7 00
BERWICK.		
Jacob Fisher 2 billiard table	8	40 00
P L Hagenbuch furniture	14	7 00
Grow & Kistner drug store	14	7 00
T R Burger bottler	5	50 00
C W Brubaker, hardware store	14	7 00
R B Swayze & Co store	14	7 00
H M Hockman confectionery	14	7 00
Freas Bros store	11	15 00
E K Adams general store	13	10 00
H G Chrisplin store	12	20 00
H R Bower store	13	10 00
Freas Bros lumber dealer	14	7 00
B F Driesbach organs and machines	14	7 00
Samuel K Heller 1 pool table	8	30 00
Jackson & Woodin Mfg Co store	6	50 00
G A Buckingham stoves and tinware	14	7 00
Frederick Royer hotel	5	50 00
Theodore F Berger shoe store	14	7 00
M Levy clothing store	14	7 00
H M Phillips & Co grocery	14	7 00
M B Margarum stationery	14	7 00
Benj Sponenberger restaurant	5	20 00
M A Markle restaurant	5	20 00
T G McMurtrie clothing store	14	7 00
D A Michael furniture store	14	7 00
A P Young stoves and tin	14	7 00
Isaiah Bower store	14	7 00
G W Klase hotel	5	50 00
Stiles Bros drugs	14	7 00
John W Little store	14	7 00
D C Smith store	14	7 00
C F Funston hotel	5	50 00
J F Freas & Co store	14	7 00
BRIARCREEK.		
Yinger & Albertson store	14	7 00
G W Ash distillery	9	15 00
BLOOMSBURG.		
J L Girton hotel	5	50 00
I W McKelvy store	7	40 00
I W Hartman & Son store	10	20 00
H C Hartman carpets and boots	14	7 00
C A Klein drugs	14	7 00
W J Correll & Co furniture	13	10 00
J K Eyer store	14	7 00
Wm Rabb grocery	14	7 00
L E Wharey stoves	14	7 00
J Saltzer organs &c	14	7 00
C W Bertsch clothing store,	14	7 00
James Reilly, 4 billiard and pool tables	8	60 00
F D Detrler boots and shoes	13	10 00
Geo A Clark book store	13	10 00
W R Tubbs hotel	5	50 00
J F Caldwell, confectionery	14	7 00
B Stohner restaurant	5	20 00
S A Wilson grocery	14	7 00
H G Eshleman & Co stoves & tinware	14	7 00
H J Clark & Son store	12	12 50
Louis Bernhard jewelry	5	20 00
Jacob Keller notions	10	20 00
J S Phillips confectionery	14	7 00
David Lowenberg clothing store	13	10 00
Geo Aurand hotel	5	50 00
E E Cadman furniture	14	7 00
J R Schuyler & Co hardware	11	15 00
Chas W Runyan hardware	12	10 00
G N Wilson grocery	14	7 00
J D Wilson leather and shoe findings	14	7 00
Joseph Decker confectionery	14	7 00
C C Mayer store	14	7 00
W C Richard flour and feed	14	7 00
Evans & Eyer clothing	14	7 00
J A Hess boots and shoes	14	7 00
J H Mercer drugs	14	7 00
D A Creasy store	14	7 00
A Schleder boots and shoe findings	14	7 00
B H Vannatta agt wall paper	14	7 00
Singer Mfg Co sewing machines	14	7 00
Mrs W B Allen store	14	7 00
E S Brower store	14	7 00
Henry Klein grocery	14	7 00
G M & J K Lockard coal	14	7 00
Wm Giger hotel	5	50 00
C W Neal & Bro coal	14	7 00
Barnett & Hibbert coal	14	7 00
O A Jacoby liquor store	13	25 00
do coal	14	7 00
Farmers' Produce Exchange store	10	20 00
" " coal	14	7 00
Peter Gross bottler	5	50 00
Simon C Shive agt imp	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Iron Co store	11	15 00
C B Robbins liquor store	13	25 00
F M Gilmore restaurant	5	20 00
W H Gilmore "	5	10 00
" bottler	5	50 00
G M & J. K Lockard general store	13	10 00
H W Sloan store	14	7 00
N J Hendershott drugs	14	7 00
Lewis Gross clothing	14	7 00
J J Brower carpets	14	7 00
Moyer Bros wholesale drug store	7	40 00
Alexander Bros & Co tobacco	11	15 00
H W White & Co grain dealers	14	7 00
Charles Krug lumber coal and slate	14	7 00
Joseph Garrison flour and feed	14	7 00
W E Knorr tobacco	14	7 00
H Bergen grocery	14	7 00
C S Bound "	14	7 00
J H Stecker store	14	7 00
Creasy & Wells lumber dealers	14	7 00
John Wolf Agt dealer	14	7 00
CATAWISSA.		
C E Clewell grocery	14	7 00
M A Swank store	14	7 00
W H Barwick clothing and shoes	14	7 00
J H Seesholtz store	13	10 00
David Hollingshead restaurant	5	20 00
Hester Kistler hotel	6	50 00
G L Kostenbauder est clothing & shoes	14	7 00
S H Rhawn stoves and tinware	14	7 00
Stephen Baldy store	11	15 00
Jno R Diemer store	13	10 00
Geo Manhart store	13	10 00
A S Truckenmiller organs & machines	13	10 00
T D Berninger furniture	14	7 00
J K Sharpless & Son store	10	20 00
T E Harder furniture	13	10 00
Wm John stoves and tinware	14	7 00
J M Smith drugs and hardware	12	12 50
S D Rinard store	14	7 00
G W Heidsnyder store	13	10 00
Albert Yetter 1 billiard and pool table	8	40 00
C C Willits drug store	14	7 00
C C Mendenhall stoves and tinware	14	7 00
Daria Griffin coal	14	7 00
A Truckenmiller restaurant	5	20 00
Simon Raup coal	14	7 00
W A Yetter hotel	5	50 00
Joseph A Guthrie grocery store	13	10 00
J C Harder Lumber	14	7 00
J R Bibby liquor store	13	25 00
bottler	5	50 00
C W Har ter lumber	14	7 00
C F Brown store	14	7 00
David Levine clothing store	14	7 00
J H Kiefer hotel	5	50 00
E E Hite shoe store	14	7 00
D Dreisbach notion store	14	7 00
Simons & Co drug store	14	7 00
A L Holshue store	14	7 00
" flour and feed	14	7 00
Lewis Reifsnyder 1 billiard table	8	30 00
CENTRALIA.		
D F Curry hotel	5	50 00
G B Millard store	12	12 50
A B Fortner stoves & tinware	14	7 00
Irvin Bros store	13	10 00
Johanna O'Conner liquor store	13	25 00
James Goldsworthy hotel	5	50 00
" " 1 pool table	8	30 00
Mrs Wm Piper hotel	5	50 00
David C Black store	14	7 00
Andrew Lenihan grocery	14	7 00
Geo W Davis drug store	14	7 00
C G Murphy store	13	10 00
Thomas Collins restaurant	5	20 00
L A Reilly & Co store	3	100 00
Edward McFadden restaurant	5	20 00
Jones Bros tea dealers	14	7 00
James McIlrearty hotel	5	50 00
L Fetterman store	14	7 00
Robert Farrel restaurant	5	20 00
H C Michael furniture	14	7 00
Charles Fetterman restaurant	5	20 00
James Haggerty "	5	20 00
Thomas Boran "	5	20 00
Geo Maley "	5	20 00
John Nertney, liquor store	13	25 00
E J Finnerty drug store	14	7 00
C H Getchell store	14	7 00
Yetter & McElhenny store	14	7 00
CONYNGHAM.		
Mrs Mary Monroe restaurant	5	20 00
Wm Herbert store	14	7 00
John L Kline hotel	5	50 00
G W Billman "	5	50 00
R W Lyons store	14	7 00
CENTRE.		
Low Bros & Co store	14	7 00
G E sponsler store	14	7 00
J S Mann hotel	5	50 00
Thomas Brobst grocery	14	7 00
Z T Fowler grain dealer	13	10 00
J L Wolverton store	14	7 00
Jacob Reece coal	14	7 00
H G Martz store	14	7 00
FISHINGCREEK.		
J M Ammerman store	14	7 00
J H Huff "	14	7 00
G M Howell "	14	7 00
M McHenry & Bro "	14	7 00
J F McHenry "	14	7

The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1886.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
8:36 a. m.	11:49 a. m.
3:42 p. m.	6:13 p. m.

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Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6:21 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
10:21 a. m.	11:44 a. m.
2:30 p. m.	4:44 p. m.
6:36 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

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Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:32 a. m.	12:05 p. m.
6.37 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:14 a m	6:48 p m

FOR SALE.—A good horse suitable for all work. Inquire at Phillips' Domestic Bakery.

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tf. C. D. SPIGELMEYER.

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April 7. '86. tf. Bloomsburg, Pa.

FOR SALE.—Two houses and lots on Canal street. Desirable, cheap homes, and pay well to rent.

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Personal.

H. H. Grotz and J. W. Gibbs went up the creek this week after trout. Pretty cold weather to fish.

Mr D. K. Sloan of Orangeville attended the General Synod of the Presbyterian church at Chicago last week.

Lafayette Keeler attended the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows at Harrisburg last week, as a delegate from Benton lodge.

P. S. Harman, J. H. Maize and J. M. Staver attended the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar at Scranton on the 25th.

Another lot of the 45c. white shirts just received at D. Lowenberg's.

Red and yellow sweet potatoe plants for sale at J. Garrison's, on Fifth street.

J. James, a younger brother of Wm. Dennis, the barber, was buried on Sunday.

Pretty suits for little boys at David Lowenberg's.

Miss Miller has very much improved her residence on Centre street, by repainting.

Grand Army suits, caps and white vests, all ready at the popular store of David Lowenberg's.

J. R. Schuyler & Co. are adding a full line of fine silver-plated ware to their hardware stock.

Charles M. Hower is building a house on a portion of the John Hicks lot recently purchased by him.

A handsome line of Mohair, Surge and Alpaca in coats and vests at David Lowenberg's.

Dr. E. E. Higbee will preach the Baccalaureate sermon before the Senior class of the Normal school on June 20th.

The Salvation Army will hold open air demonstrations in Espy Park on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 29, 30 and 31st.

A large and elegant line of Seersucker coats and vests for men, boys and children at David Lowenberg's.

The *Sentinel* of last week says the next regular term of court will be held on the first Monday of September. Since when?

It is said that pasturage has suddenly risen in value in the neighborhood of the Court House, owing to the increased demand.

The completion of the veranda at the residence of L. S. Wintersteen, Esq., has added greatly to the appearance of the house.

The County Commissioners have ordered books for the use of tax collectors, which will be delivered at the same time as the county duplicates.

M. C. Woodward made four arrests last week on warrants. There were five arrests where the parties were taken before the President of Council.

Sheriff Smith left on Tuesday for Philadelphia with Waltman and Jenkins. He was accompanied by A. B. Croop and Levi Bredbender as assistants.

Bloomsburg will be full of bicycles on Saturday, when clubs from Scranton, Pittston, Wyoming, Wilkesbarre, Kingston and Plymouth are expected here.

The Friendship Fire Co. has leased a lot of N. J. Hendershott, adjoining W. H. Gilmore's, on Main street, and are erecting a building to keep their apparatus in.

E. R. Furman's hen will have to try again. H. R. Grimes of Mt. Pleasant has shown us an egg that measures six inches one way and seven and a half the other.

A cave-in occurred in one of the sections of the sewer ditch on Market street on Tuesday, and two men barely escaped being caught. Nearly a ton of earth fell in.

The window of J. P. Woodring's harness shop contains a collection of stuffed birds and animals. They were sent here from Iowa, and the entire collection is for sale.

Parties desiring to hold festivals will do well to call at Alexander Bros. & Co. who can supply them with all kinds of candies, nuts and fruits at lower figures than can be obtained elsewhere.

The Athletic Park Association will hold a festival in the skating rink this Friday and Saturday evenings to raise money to build a fence, plant trees, and otherwise beautify the town park. Admission free.

Mrs. John Weiss died in Hemlock township on Monday, aged 77 years and was buried on Wednesday at New Columbia. She was the mother of ten children, grandmother of fifty, and great grandmother of twenty three.

Persons wanting male or female help should apply to B. F. Taylor.

For the latest in style in gents' wear go to David Lowenberg's.

One bottle of Keller's Catarrh Remedy possesses more virtue than a half dozen bottles of ordinary patent preparations. It is infallible in the cure of catarrh, malaria and all skin and blood diseases.

Mr. Alfred Howell, a former resident of this county, died at Williamsport on Sunday last, aged about 70 years. He kept hotel at Orangeville for some time, and moved from there a number of years ago.

Sewer pipe is being laid from Main street to the head of Market. The work is being done by residents along the line, who advance the money and accept town orders without interest, payable in one and two years.

The members of the Evangelical church will hold a strawberry and ice-cream festival in Evans' Hall, on next Saturday afternoon and evening, May 29. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. All are cordially invited.

There was a very heavy fall of rain last week, Thursday evening. Main street was full of water from gutter to gutter. The steam pipe trench on south Main street was drowned out. Considerable washing of fields is reported from the country.

Appropriate services will be held in Orangeville on Memorial Day, Saturday, May 29, at 2 p. m. Let all who can turn out in remembrance of the brave soldiers who saved the Union. An address will be delivered by Prof. Harkins, of the Academy.

Extensive preparations are being made to hold a grand festival at Hellers church, Madison Twp., Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and evening of June 18th and 19th.

Proceeds for the church and graveyard.

Why do the town authorities discriminate in the matter of fire companies? One of these organizations is receiving sixty dollars a year from the town, while the other two get but thirty dollars each. If there is any good reason for this, won't somebody please explain?

A free lecture will be given this (Friday) evening at Free church, Millville, by Walter Thomas Mills, on the subject of "The Work-Shop Versus the Grog Shop." The subject of "Political Parties and Public Questions" he handles the evening previous. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Sheriff Smith is kept busy now-a-days reading letters from numerous correspondents in different sections of the county, and thinks some of employing a private secretary to answer them, as he has not the time. We would recommend Dave Coffman for the position, as he is undoubtedly a versatile letter writer. Some of the letters received by the Sheriff are said to be quite valuable. That's the kind Dave likes to answer.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending May 25, 1886:

Boyd Patterson, Miss Joanna Shaffer, John T. Whitenite.

CARDS.

Charley Longenderfer, Mrs. Fred McWade, C. A. Slack.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M.

Orangeville.

We understand there is now a move on foot to enlarge and refence the grave yard, which should be done by all means. A prettier site for cemetery grounds could not well be found. And all should take deep interest in the matter. Friends, open your hearts and pocket-books. Friends of those buried here from the outside district, govern yourselves accordingly.

Henry Mellick, one of our most enterprising farmers, had his corn planted early this year. Henry is a go-a-headative farmer, things about him look like living and he is a large hearted and liberal man in his way.

A visit to the new Presbyterian church will open your eyes. The managers are entitled to credit. The church will be a model of convenience and beauty.

Rev. C. K. Canfield was surprised by being presented with a new carriage recently. The donors were the members of his church.

Dr. George L. Jolly who has taken the place of Dr. C. W. Ammerman is building up quite a practice, is on the move, and is a gentleman.

Miss A. Sweeney of Milton has been the guest of Mrs. A. B. Stent.

L. M. Sleppy has broken ground for a new dwelling on Main street on lot No. 3 Megargells flat. Lee will build a sensible house no doubt.

Dr. A. P. Stoddart is now bringing his fine dwelling to completion. Plastering and painting will soon be done. Then he will have one of the best corners in town.

James H. Harman is getting ready to plaster and paint his new business block. The lower story is now finished and filled with choice furniture cheap as anywhere in the county.

[From another correspondent.]

Mrs. Stiner, mother of our merchant, George Stiner, died Monday morning, aged about 70 years. The funeral took place Wednesday morning, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Robbins.

The lower part of our town was pretty well torn up by the hail and rain storm of Saturday. Mr. Jas. Williams was the heaviest loser in town. The small brook, which flows through his garden, became so full of water that the garden was completely deluged and left covered with logs, etc.

The Melonian Society intend giving another entertainment soon. About June 12 is the date talked of. Those who were so fortunate as to be present when the Society gave East Lynn will know Orangeville talent is well worth patronizing.

East Benton.

Miss Blanche McHenry, daughter of Hon. James M. McHenry, of Cambra, has been for a long time in close confinement, by reason of sickness. She had the measles in early Spring, which merged into general debility and her life was almost despaired of. Dr. Gardner, of Bloomsburg, was summoned for counsel and we are happy to state that she is now convalescing.

We wondered what made Rev. Houtz preach last Sunday afternoon with so much zeal and earnestness, and never suspected the secret of his joy till he whispered in our ear "it is a boy."

There have been some very fine specimens of the "speckled beauties" captured of late in the mountain streams, but we will not tell it publicly, as court is over, and the lawyers would at once investigate. Elias McHenry, of Benton, caught 6 a mile or two above Benton whose aggregate length measured 96 inches, but don't tell it. There was no explosion "either."

Wheat, where not Winter spoiled, is looking very promising.

CLERK CASEY HEARD FROM.

BLOOMSBURG, PA., May 25, 1886.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—As your readers well know, I have been the victim of attacks, both personal and malicious, for many months past by the *Sentinel*. Until very recently I considered that the people of the county, knowing the motive of the owner of that sheet, the continuous attacks were undeserving of any notice from me. Wm. Krickbaum was a candidate for the position of Commissioners' Clerk when the present board went into office, and upon his failure to get it, after offering directly and indirectly valuable consideration for the votes of two of the Commissioners, he opens up the columns of his vile sheet for the abuse of the Commissioners and myself, without any regard to truth, decency, or his own questionable, and in many respects, disgraceful management, while acting as Commissioners' clerk. Whether the Commissioners acted wisely in selecting me as their clerk, is not for me to say. But I am perfectly satisfied to let the people judge whether I am found at my post of duty, whether they receive courteous treatment at my hands when they have business to transact at the Commissioners' office and whether compensation received by me for services performed is exorbitant. The tax lien law, the late law with reference to the daily reports made by the Prothonotary and Recorder, and many other smaller details, have added to the work of the Commissioners' clerk so that I now do at least one-third more work than did Mr. Krickbaum when he was clerk. Notwithstanding this fact, in 1878, the last year Mr. Krickbaum was in office as clerk, the statement shows he received $800 salary and was allowed $78.75 for hired help, making a total of $878.75. Last year I received $900 to pay my salary and all my hired assistance, just $21.25 more than Krickbaum received when the work of the office was at least 30 per cent. less than it is now. Yet I am to be upbraided week after week for not furnishing to the people, through the columns of the press, the names of persons who were paid to assist me. I can give the names of parties paid to assist me, if necessary, but the Commissioners made the contract with me, and I was personally responsible for the hired assistance. They, in their discretion, decided that it was better to know definitely what the work in this office would cost, and hence held me responsible for the performance of all work for $900. This seems to be the matter upon which the ex-boss loves to dwell. The taxpayers know very well that all his uneasiness about this matter amounts to nothing. All his other attacks, being of a personal and selfish nature, are not worth noticing. I have not been away from the office since the first year I entered it, more than a day or two, except on business for the county. In September, 1877, Krickbaum, while being paid by the County as Commissioners' clerk, spent several days in Philadelphia acting as Deputy Sheriff. In 1878, while electioneering for Prothonotary, both before and after his nomination, how often did the taxpayers find him at his post of duty? I venture the assertion, that he was not there half the time. Yet did he not take his full $800 salary, and pay $78.75 for hired help in addition to his salary? And did he not take $25.00 for clerking for the County Auditors in January, 1879, while acting as Prothonotary? In short, this Ex-Deputy Treasurer, Ex-Commissioners' Clerk, Ex-Deputy Sheriff, Ex-Prothonotary, at present a School Director, would be third termer as Prothonotary, and would be Deputy Revenue Collector, &c., after failing to secure the office I now hold by allurements, by threats, by promises, by offering things in his gift and not within his power to give, has been beseeching some of the patronage of the Commissioners' office. Failing to get that he has unbridled his vile tongue, and opened his newspaper to a "swell head" of Catawissa and others to abuse the Commissioners and myself. I have stood it all in silence, believing that the people would look upon this abuse as coming from a disappointed political sore head, who fatted at the county tit for nineteen years, and I only write this article to let the people know that under the present management our county affairs are being looked after with more care and less expense comparatively than when every officer in the county, with the honorable exception of President Judge, was under the management of the tyranical boss, now proprietor of the *Sentinel*. I desire to call the attention of the taxpayers to the last official act of Wm. Krickbaum as Commissioners' clerk.

"Columbia county
To William Krickbaum Dr.
To the following bill for expenses incurred in collecting $1077.26 of Conyngham twp. for 1875.

" amount paid N. Lenihan to release Levy	$25. 00
" amt. paid for team to go down	5. 00
" expenses incurred	10. 00
	$40. 00

This money was paid me to which the Collector objected and the balance of duplicate was not yet paid—Collector is defaulter. Received payment Dec. 31. 1878, William Krickbaum."

Query to Krickbaum—Why did you not put this bill in the statement of 1875? Or were you afraid to have it come out before you were a candidate for prothonotary? Rise and explain.

Truly Yours,
JOHN B. CASEY.

Mifflin.

Personal property of Widow Bond will be sold on Saturday.

The usual decoration exercises will take place in the several cemeteries.

Horace Creasy lost a valuable horse on Sunday.

Supervisors are repairing the roads.

A Union Sunday school was organized at the Snyder school house on Sunday last.

During the shower on Saturday afternoon the lightning struck H. H. Boyd's barn. Slight damage, it being a cold stroke.

A vast number of people followed the remains of John J. Hartzel to their last resting place on Monday. Mr. Hartzel was a good neighbor and a leading member of the Grange. The order turned out in a body. Evergreens were strewn over the grave of their deceased brother. The funeral took place in the Shaffer cemetery, which was the third funeral at that place inside of twenty-four hours, all men and all named John.

H. E. Eveland is selling agricultural implements.

Teachers' Examinations.

Teachers' examinations will be held as follows:

Berwick, June 1st, Catawissa and Franklin at Catawissa, June 4th., Rupert, June 7th., Espytown, June 11th., Centralia and Conyngham at Centralia, June 14th. and 15th., Locust and Roaringcreek at Numidia June 16th., Benton, Sugarloaf and Jackson at Benton June 21st., Bloomsburg, Third St., June 25th. The Centralia examination will commence at 2 p. m. June 14th.

Teachers will please be examined in the districts in which they expect to teach.

Each applicant should have a supply of legal cap paper, good pencil and an eraser.

Directors are cordially invited to be present.

J. S. GRIMES,
County Supt.

Prisoners Sentenced.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Isaac Waltman was argued in court last Saturday morning, by J. B. Robison Esq. for the prisoner and District Attorney Billmeyer for the Commonwealth. The reasons filed were all to the effect that the court erred in its rulings during the trial, except one, which stated that new evidence had been discovered. This alleged that a witness had been found who kept a record of all snow storms, and who would testify that on the day of the fire snow ceased to fall at about half past six o'clock. This witness lives about 3½ miles above Benton, and his testimony was not considered sufficient ground for a new trial, the judge in his opinion saying, that it might easily have happened that the snow ceased there before it did in Benton. The rule is not that a new trial will be granted on after discovered evidence that might possibly have caused a different verdict, but it must be evidence whose legitimate effect would be to *require* a different verdict

Decision was reserved until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when Waltman and Jenkins were brought into court, and on the ringing of the bell the court room was filled with spectators to hear the sentences. In an oral opinion Judge Elwell overruled the motion in arrest of judgment and for a new trial in the case of Waltman, and called the defendant before the bench to receive his sentence. The Judge said in substance; "You have been convicted by an intelligent jury in spite of the zealous efforts of able counsel in your behalf of the crime with which you are charged in the indictment. Under the evidence we cannot say that the verdict is wrong. You were surrounded by a chain of circumstances that pointed strongly to your guilt and though we have no doubt the jury would gladly have acquitted you if it were possible in a conscientious discharge of their duty, it seems that the evidence satisfied them that you are the person who set the fire. A large number of very respectable witnesses were called who testified to the good character which you previously sustained and we gave you the full benefit of this in our charge to the jury. If you are the victim of circumstances it is a great misfortune for you, but there is nothing left for us to do but to pronounce the sentence of the law. Have you anything to say why this should not be done." The prisoner was visibly affected, and raising his left hand high above his head he said. "As God is my judge, I am innocent of this great crime. I was not able to procure witnesses, because I was confined, and I was permitted to talk with my friends only through the bars of the jail, and by letter. I could have shown a very good reason why I went up to the Benton bridge, but the question was not asked me. I am the victim of circumstances, and I now submissively to the will of the law. I have nothing more to say." The court then said, "It is never a pleasant duty for us to pass sentence upon any one, and if what you say is true, you are very unfortunate. The sentence of court is that you, Isaac Waltman, pay a fine of $500 and the costs of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the eastern penitentary in solitary confinement at manual labor for a period of three years, the sheriff to conduct you thither within ten days." The prisoner took his seat and great drops of perspiration rolled from his face.

Jenkins was then called up. He is a hard looking customer, and has the countenance and eye of an outcast who would not hesitate to commit the highest crime known to the law. During his imprisonment he has been most vicious, his conduct in some respects being unfit for publication. One day after an exhibition of his depraved character Sheriff Smith took him from his cell to escort him to the dark cell prepared for unruly prisoners, and as they got out in the corridor Jenkins struck at the sheriff, but the blow was warded off and fell lightly on his head, whereupon the sheriff proceeded for a few minutes to exercise his "blacksmith" muscle on the tramp until he called for mercy. Last week Wednesday irons were prepared for him, with the intention to chain to a ring in the floor, if he persisted in his viciousness, but they were not used. When called up for sentence Jenkins swaggered up to the pedestal before the bench in an insolent way, and several times he laughed in the face of the judge while passing sentence. The court said. "You have been convicted of being a tramp, and as one of that tribe of carrying concealed weapons upon your person. Even before the justice you had a butcher knife concealed in your coat sleeve. Your vile conduct while in jail is known to us, and we do not propose to waste any time in giving you good advice. It would be utterly useless." A sentence of two and a half years in the penitentary was then pronounced upon him on this indictement, and on the indictment charging him with murderous assault on Connor, a fellow-prisoner, by cutting his head open with an iron hook maliciously hurled, he was given two years and a half more, to commence immediately upon the expiration of the first sentence, thus giving him five years in all. He is a hardened criminal of the worst type and society will be well rid of him. No one knows where he came from but it is probable that this is not the first time he has worked for the state. As the second sentence was pronounced, his manner suddenly changed, and his long sentence was evidently unexpected. His indifference changed to anger, and as he took his seat he said in an audible voice, "By —— I'll stand that sentence, you can bet your —— —— life." The prisoners were then handcuffed, and taken back to jail, and court adjourned.

Memorial Day, Saturday, May 29th., 1886,

PROGRAM.

Ent Post 250 G. A. R., will assemble at their hall where conveyances will meet them at 7 a. m.

A detail will be sent to Lightstreet and Afton.

The Post accompanied by the Bloomsburg Drum Corps will go to New Columbia where a program has been arranged, commencing at 9 o'clock; after which the procession will move to Heller's Church, where exercises will begin at 10 o'clock; from there the Post will go to the Vandersice grave yard. Decoration services at 11 o'clock. The Post will then return, arriving at the hall at 1 o'clock.

At 2:30 p. m., all organizations, schools, societies, and citizens taking part will report to the Marshal on Market square, where the line will form and proceed under the direction of the Marshal. After the ceremony an address suitable for the occasion will be delivered by Grant Herring Esq.

Music will be furnished by the Bloomsburg Cornet Band; also by a choir.

After the address the line will form and proceed to Market square and be dismissed.

Flowers sent to the hall in the forenoon will be thankfully received.

All business men are cordially invited to close their places of business between the hours of 2 and 5 p. m.

By request of the Literary Societies the Post will attend in a body further Memorial services at the Normal in the evening, where all are invited.

C. P. SLOAN,
Chief Marshal.

Berwick.

Kurtz's marble works have become one of the prominent industries of our town. Seven artificers are employed and were there room in the buildings more could be employed with advantage. The works occupy a prominent position on Front street. One room is crowded with marbles, to mbstones and monuments of the best quality and evincing workmanship of a very high order. Our community will do well to look here before going elsewhere for goods of this sort.

It is now ascertained that the man found drowned at Sponenberg's last Saturday a week was an inmate of Luzerne county poor house. A Coroner's inquest was held over the remains by J. G. Jacoby, Esq., acting as Coroner, who summoned the following jurors: Dr. G. L. Reagen, H. Landen, W. M. Bredbenner, Thos. Prosser, Owen M. Demott and C. E. Ross. Their verdict was the unknown came to his death by drowning in the Susquehanna river.

A warrant was issued on Monday last by Squire Jacoby on two young men for purloining a lot of brass fixtures from the old distillery of D. F. Seybert at Foundryville. They gave bail for their appearance at court.

The Memorial sermon, by J. Lohr, in the Evangelical church, was a very good one, breathing pathos and patriotism throughout. The G. A. R., led by its popular cammander, W. J. Scott, followed by the Youths' drum corps and Stout's band, Sons of Veterans and Ladies' Aid Society and P. O. S. of A., thronged the church in due season and with the citizens the church was well packed before the services commenced. Patriotic airs were sung and played on the organ. After the services the military drum corps and band &c., filed out in regular order while the balance of the congregation remained seated. It was a fine occasion.

Con. Martin, who has been absent from Berwick 7 years, is again with us, looking well. He has visited almost every state in the Union.

He staggered home; chucked his children out on the cold terra firma; laid his hand upon his wife's back hair and played familiar with her silken tresses, was in the lock-up over night and generously donated to the Burgess $4.50.

Col. A. D. Seely received a letter from Rev. E. H. Yocum, on his departure for Washington, on last Monday morning, stating that he cannot be here to deliver the Memorial address on Saturday; but the Rev. has got a substitute, pastor of Grace M. E. church, Williamsport. Rev. R. H. Gilbert, who will come to us highly recommended as one of the brightest pulpit orators of the East Penns. Conference. Rev. Yocum recommends him highly. Doubtless he will deliver us a very eloquent address long to be remembered. Rev. Yocum is deprived of being here on account of the serious illness of his wife in Washington. We will have a fine address worthy of the occasion and the gallant services of the heroic dead and the heroic living. This will be the finest Memorial day we have ever had in Berwick, in point of procession, military and musical display. Come one, come all.

Mr. Luther Brown was found prostrated with paralysis in one of the fields of his farm, near New Columbus, on Wednesday afternoon a week ago. He was discovered and brought to his home in this condition and died during the night. He died a Christian—a member of the M. E. Church. Luther Brown is well known in this community. He was a long time, years ago, a farmer of Jesse Bowman, (deceased) on the farm owned by Mrs. Petty, two miles from Berwick, toward Evansville. He was buried on Tuesday last in Berwick cemetery. Peace to his ashes. His good works do follow him.

Don't forget that A. C. Drum is still on 10th street, between Chestnut and Walnut, and is busily occupied in turning out some of the finest shoes and boots that can possibly fit and adorn the pedestal extremities of man, woman or child.

Amos Creasy, our Street Commissioner, has been fixing up the streets grandly recently in Newtown. The Newtown people are tax-payers and we are glad that they are realizing the benefit of their taxes. They have been a long time paying taxes and they should receive some benefit now. Let the good work go on. Newtown, by present appearances, will soon be as respectable as Front and Market streets. When you pay taxes receive some benefit from it.

At present writing it is doubtful that the Salvationists will be among us.

J. P. Freas & Co. are under full headway on Front street in the mercantile line, just below the postoffice. Their shelves are lined with the best goods the market affords, and are prepared to compete with all others in the same line of business. Kinney Freas, Frank Frauntz and James will wait on you with the utmost promptness and politeness.

George Vannatta has been visiting his friends here. He is doing well in Sayre. We wish him success.

The present abundant rains indicate a drouth in the after part of the season.

Mr. Fairchilds has taken hold strongly of the old "Bowman Homestead," below Berwick. His pruning of the numerous trees, repairing of the house and barn, and his farming generally, shows that he is the right man in the right place.

Masqueraders.

The residence of Mrs. A. A. Butler on Rock street was the scene of a brilliant assemblage on Thursday evening of last week, the occasion being a masquerade party given by Miss Lillian Barton. The maskers began to assemble about 9 o'clock, and soon after that hour the parlor was filled with costumes of many designs and colors. The characters were well gotten up, and each one bore his or her part well. The costumes were as follows. Miss Ada Hartman, Bo-peep; Miss Mame Brugler, Queen of Hearts; Miss May Barkley, Yum-Yum; Miss Eliza Kuhn, Spanish gypsy; Miss Hattie Sloan, Scotch lassie; Miss Norah Finney, Morning star; Miss Audie Hagenbuch, French peasant; Miss Regina Lowenberg, Spanish gypsy; Miss Bessie Monroe, Marguerite; Miss Verne Rawlings, Fire; Miss Hattie Fetterman, Spanish girl Miss Martha Wirt, Pandora; Miss May Sharpless, Huntress; Miss Blanche Billmeyer, Dew drop; Miss Ella Fox, Dolly varden; Miss Edith Eshelman, Scotch lass; Miss Annie Jameson, Folly; Miss Mary McKelvy, Frost; Miss Hattie McKelvy; Gypsy; Miss Annie McKelvy, Spanish lady; Miss Stella Sickler and Miss Bessie McKelvy, Dames of the 15th century; Miss L. Barton, an old lady.

Mr. R. Hartman, school boy; Mr. E. Hartman, Louis XIV; Mr. J. H. Mercer, French nobleman; Mr. E. B. Clark, Prince of Orleans; Mr. C. C. Wirt, Duke of Buckingham; Mr. S. F. Peacock, Duke of Morocco; Mr. Frank Wilson, Ko-Ko; Mr. A. H. Bloom, National Guardsman; Mr. J. Reifsnyder, Military officer; Mr. Clark Sloan, Knight of Malta; Mr. Frank Pursel, Romeo; Mr. D. Brown, hunter; Mr. J. Wells, sailor. Quite a number were present not in costume, among them being Miss Vandozen, Miss Hanley, Miss M. Smith, Mr. S. T. Dimmick, Mr. A. M. Freas and Mr. J. F. Smith, of Berwick.

Fish Stories.

Ziba Barnes caught a salmon at Bloom Ferry on Tuesday night, that measured 27 inches in length and weighed 5½ lbs. It was a beauty. Mr. D. Lowenberg had it served on his table.

Elias McHenry, of Benton, one day last week, caught six trout, whose united length was 96 inches.

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE Cod Liver Oil, With Hypophosphites.

Is more reliable as an agent in the cure of consumption, chronic coughs and emaciation, than any remedy known to medical science. It is so prepared that the potency of these two most valuable specifics is largely increased. It is also very palatable.

Ask your merchant for O. K. coffee. Try it and you will use no other. It is home roasted. Always fresh and has no equal. [m. 12 tf.

MARRIAGES.

JACOBY—BEAGLE.—At the residence of the bride's mother, by C. L. Sands, Esq., May 15, 1886, Mr. Jacob Jacoby and Miss Catharine Beagle, both of Mt. Pleasant.

DEATHS.

PEALER.—In Fishingcreek Twp., May 8, 1886, Mr. Eli Pealer, age 41 years, 7 months and 22 days.

AN EXTRAORDINARY OFFER.

To All Wanting Employment.

We want Live, Energetic and Capable Agents in every county in the United States and Canada, to sell a patent article of great merit, and universal use. An article having a large sale, paying over 100 per cent profit, having no competition, and on which the agent is protected in the exclusive sale by a deed given for each and every county he may secure from us. With all these advantages to our agents and the fact that it is an article that can be sold to every householder, it might not be necessary to make an "EXTRAORDINARY OFFER" to secure good agents at once, but we have concluded to make it to show, not only our confidence in the merits of our invention, but in its salability by any agent that will handle it with energy. Our agents now at work are making from $10 to $20 a month clear and this fact makes it safe for us to make our offer to all who are out of employment. Any agent that will give our business a thirty days trial and fail to clear at least $10, in this time, ABOVE ALL EXPENSES, can return all goods unsold to us and we will refund the money paid for them. Any agent or general agent who would like ten or more counties and work them through subagents for ninety days and fail to clear at least $250 ABOVE ALL EXPENSES, can return all unsold and get their money back. No other employer of agents ever dared to make such offers, nor would we if we did not know that we have agents now making more than double the amount we guaranteed, and but two sales a day would give a profit of over $125 a month, and that one of our agents took eighteen orders in one day. Our large descriptive circulars explain our offer fully, and these we wish to send to everyone out of employment who will send us three one cent stamps for postage. Send at once and secure the agency in time for the boom, and go to work on the terms named in our extraordinary offer. We would like to have the address of all the agents, sewing machine solicitors and carpenters in the country, and ask any reader of this paper who reads this offer, to send us at once the name and address of all such they know. Address at once, or you will lose the best chance ever offered to those out of employment to make money. REMINGTON MANUFACTURING CO.
116 Smithfield St., Pittsburg, Pa

LOCAL NOTICES.

CABBAGE PLANTS.

Three acres of cabbage plants on Island at Espy ferry. Everybody come from now until July 10th. Prices must be among the lowest and plants the best.
m-28-4-t. DAVID GEISINGER.

Go to C. C. Marr for embroidery, laces and white goods. Buy cheap.

Farmers in want of implements can save money by buying of S. C. Shive, as he is handling the best in the market at the lowest prices. Go and see them. m21 4t.

The cheapest place to buy cretonnes, seersuckers, ginghams, prints and muslin is at C. C. Marr's.

Mrs. C. E. Rabb has several cases of new goods coming. Will be ready in a day or two.

Go to C. C. Marr's for coffee, teas, spices and sugar. Buy cheap.

J. F. Caldwell can not be beat on ice cream.

Just received a new lot of childrens' fine Swiss caps at Mrs. C. E. Rabb's, opposite Corell's furniture store.

At I. W. Hartman & Son's
THIS WEEK.

Plain colored satines in cream, ecrue, navy blue, carulnal, brown and black.

We are selling window curtains ready to put up, with all fixtures.

Our white goods and embroideries are selling well.

The 5c. lawns are attracting buyers.

They are coming a good ways to see our stock.

I. W. Hartman & Son.

J. F. Caldwell is the baker of our town.

Cheap ready trimmed hats and bonnets from $1.00 up, at Mrs. C. E. Rabb's.

C. C. Marr has nice geese feathers to sell.

FOR SALE.—Cloverseed, timothy seed, shotes, calves and all kinds of lumber. Boards, rails, 2x4, scantling, joist, plank, lath, chestnut, hemlock and pine, Nos. 1, 2, and 3 shingles, pine boards and siding, surfaced, white pine, yellow pine and hemlock flooring, plastering, lath, pickets, &c., at Lightstreet, by Silas Young. m 26-2m

BUSINESS NOTICES.

BILIOUSNESS

Is very prevalent at this season, the symptoms being bitter taste, offensive breath, coated tongue, sick headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of appetite. If this condition is allowed to continue, serious consequences may result. By promptly taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, a fever may be avoided or premature death prevented. It is a positive cure for billousness. Sold by all druggists.

Every farmer should have our Farmers' Hand-Book, every merchant our Merchants' Manual, every lady our Ladies' book, every lover of music our Mikado. The above, with ten picture cards, will be sent, postpaid, to any address, on receipt of sixteen cents in stamps. R. H. McDonald Drug Co., 532 Washington street, New York.

What is more disagreeable to a lady than to know that her hair has not only lost its color, but is full of dandruff? Yet such was the case with mine until I used Parker's Hair Balsam. My hair is now black and perfectly clean and glossy.—Mrs. E Sweeny, Chicago. [m7.

The warmer weather often has a depressing and debilitating effect. Hood's Sarsaparilla overcomes all languor and lassitude.

My liver was so fearfully disordered and I felt so feeble and languid that I scarcely took interest in anything. Tried all the so-called remedies without relief until I used Parker's Tonic, which effected a permanent cure.—David Bash, Little Rock, Ark. [m9.

WHAT AILS YOU?

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1 lot	Beaver, Charles	1 74
3 "	Beaver, Joseph	1 91
83 acres	Brockway, C. B	4 10
165 "	" "	10 23
39 "	" and Abbott	1 99
79 "	" "	4 73
118 "	" "	5 21
84 "	" "	3 06
3 lots	Brockway, C. B.	4 55
3 "	Butt and Unger	5 20
1 "	Bogart, Mary	1 64
2 "	Boyer, T. S	1 42
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340 "	Clark, Andrew	11 81
49 "	Cox, C. S. Ex. Tench Cox	3 30
129 "	" "	8 58
237 "	" "	16 11
278 "	" "	18 41
367 "	" "	24 76
1 lots	Charles, Simon	3 84
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A STORY OF BRIGANDS.

Some time ago I was in Malaga at a moment when a book that had just appeared at Madrid was making a great stir all over Spain.

As I was dining one evening with the French consul the conversation turned on stories of brigands. The crimes of all the Fra Diavolos of Spain were successively passed in review, and if I did not dream of brigands that night it was because—the dinner having been very elaborate, and moistened with the best wine of the country—my sleep, under this burning atmosphere of Andalusia, was unusually profound. Before dinner the consul had kindly presented me to some of the notabilities of the cities, and to a countryman of ours, a rich capitalist held in high esteem by both natives and French, who had invited me to visit him.

A few days later I went to see this new friend, M. C., and, after a few commonplaces, the conversation again led up to the brigands. I asked him then if he himself believed these extraordinary stories.

"Assuredly," said he. "I have very good reasons to believe in brigands, for I have very often found myself in forced relations with them. You know that I am the director of a lead mine in the Sierra Nevada's. Under my orders I have a large number of workingmen, who not only work in the mine, but relieve the hardships of that laborious toil and add to its profits by occasionally following another trade, smuggling, for example, or robbery on the highways. But as I am not charged with the duties of police outside my own works, and as everybody there does his duty, I never bother myself about what happens elsewhere.

"One day a young man with a fine face, distinguished manners, a white and aristocratic hand, neatly though modestly dressed, came into my office and asked for work in the mine. After looking him over and hearing his request, proffered in the purest Castillian, I told him that the kind of work I had was hardly suited to the delicacy of his hands or the distinction of his manners and his person, and advised him to seek employment better suited to a man of his position.

"'I don't care how rough the work is,' he answered. 'I must work for a living; I am out of work and absolutely without a sou.'

"The next day I put him in charge of a squad of miners. For about a month he attended faithfully to his business and became a great favorite with his companions. But one morning he was taken sick. I wanted him to go into the infirmary, but in spite of all my efforts to detain him he insisted on going away, and to all my protests he replied that his companions would take good care of him.

"The young fellow interested me, his courage, his perseverance, his force of will touched me, and I ended by offering to go with him to Malaga, where I promised to obtain him a place that would be worthy of his apparent station.

"'You are very kind,' he said to me with tears in his eyes, 'and it is a long time since any one manifested so much interest in me. I thank you and am very grateful. Allow me to respond to your generous offer with a confidence that will show you why I can not accept it. I do not wish you to believe that I am ungrateful or indifferent. My name is L——, and the name of Samarilla was given to me by my comrades on account of the cloak I wore when I took refuge in the mountains. I served several years as an officer in the cavalry, and the future presented the most brilliant prospects, when I met a young lady at Seville with whom I fell desperately in love at first sight. After some happy maneuvers, I was presented to the family, and soon accepted as a betrothed by the beautiful young woman, who gave me permission to come in the evening to talk with her at her window. I was happy. Everything in the world seemed to smile on me. My family was well-to-do and well disposed toward me; I had a charming fiancee, good comrades, and was patiently waiting my rank of captain in order to marry.

"'One evening after having taken leave of the family of my inamorata, I took a little turn of the promenade and was going back to my usual place under her balcony, when I thought I observed some one in possession of that sacred spot. That, you know, is a mortal insult that no good Spaniard can endure, so, rubbing my eyes to assure myself that I was not dreaming, I quickened my steps, and, an instant later, clearly distinguished a man muffled in the folds of his long cape.

"'Be off,' I cried to the stranger. 'This is the balcony of my fiancee. If you do not want to feel the blade of my navaja be off, I say.'

"'My rival—for it could be none else than a rival—drew his knife without a word, and sprang upon me. But I had rolled my cloak around my left arm. I parried the blow, and, attacking him in my turn, I struck him such a blow that he gave a piercing shriek, and fell lifeless to the ground.

"'What was to be done? I imagine that I heard a cry respond to that of my victim. No doubt she had witnessed the combat from her window.

"'To fly was the only thing left me. Windows began to go up, whistles sounded to call the night watchman. I fled and reached my house a prey to the liveliest anguish, devoured by jealousy and rage and terrified by a misfortune the consequences of which I could not conceal. Being unable to rest in this uncertainty until the next day and thinking that I might be sought at my lodging, I went to an officer in the same regiment, and telling him what had happened, asked him to go for information touching the consequences of the affray. After an hour—an age to me—he returned with the word that every chance of safety was closed against me, that my rival belonged to one of the most distinguished families of Madrid and to the party then in power, and that the penalty for my crime would be terrible, no one daring to defend me against such powerful adversaries. My relative himself already seemed cold toward me. I then thought that, for the present at least the wisest thing to do was to put the mountain between justice and myself. I returned to my house, gathered up the little money that I possessed, saddled my horse, and galloped off for the mountains.

"'You know that every man with a weight on his conscience can easily find a refuge in the hiding places of the smugglers and bandits. I secreted myself and lived some time on the little money I had taken with me. The day came when I had to sell my poor horse, my last faithful friend. I then appealed to my family. My relatives responded that I had disgraced them, and refused to assist me. My friends, like my relatives, denied my appeal. Finally, one day I learned that a price had been put on my head, and that I must no longer hope to resume my place in society. It was then that, having spent my last sou, I went to you, and you gave me bread. You know the rest. Permit me to thank you again and to take your hand; you will then have done for me all that you can do.'

"'I admit that I shook his hands with all my heart, and he departed."

"'I have seen him several times since, but he had already become famous by his exploits. I even lent him on one occasion some money, and not only did he repay it promptly, but showed himself very grateful for the favor. I will say more, that I have a great deal of sympathy for Samarilla, and that I owe to him the privilege of going into the mountains in the course of my business without running the slightest risk."

After having taken a glass, M. C. continued:

"One evening, as I was taking the fresh air at the door of my hacienda, Samarilla unexpectedly appeared, shook my hand cordially, took a chair, rolled a cigarette, and told me what he was doing and how he was now the chief of the brigands. Let us allow the famous captain to speak for himself.

"'When I left the mine,' he told me, 'I was badly afflicted, both physically and mentally, and at one time I thought I must soon render an account of my life and my crime to my Maker. But my companions were as kind and devoted to me as my relatives and friends had been hard and pitiless. At first they took me into a part of the mountains unknown even to the inhabitants of the region, where I might be sure of a shelter from justice. There they confided me to the care of one of their wives who bestowed upon me all the attention and solicitude of a sister. Every day at their return from work my companions, one and all, came to see me, and to keep me company a few moments, some bringing me fruit, others a book, all remembering me with some trifle. These worthy fellows, indeed, displayed an affection for me that I could not repay with my life. After three months of intelligent and assiduous care I got well enough to go out, and went for short walks into the mountains now and then. It was danger-

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NORTH. p.m.	NORTH. p.m.	NORTH. a.m.	STATIONS.	SOUTH. a.m.	SOUTH. a.m.	SOUTH. p.m.
9 00	12 30	8 30	....Scranton....	6 10	9 15	2 05
8 54	12 26	8 26	....Bellevue....	6 15	9 20	2 10
8 48	12 22	8 22	....Taylorville....	6 20	9 26	2 15
8 40	12 15	8 16	..Lackawanna....	6 27	9 34	2 22
8 33	12 08	8 10	....Pittston....	6 34	9 41	2 30
8 27	12 03	8 03	..West Pittston..	6 40	9 47	2 36
8 22	11 58	7 58	....Wyoming....	6 45	9 52	2 41
8 17	11 54	7 54	....Maltby....	6 49	9 56	2 44
8 12	11 50	7 50	....Bennett....	6 53	10 00	2 47
8 08	11 47	7 4	....Kingston....	6 58	10 05	2 50
8 08	11 47	7 47	....Kingston....	6 58	10 05	2 50
8 03	11 42	7 42	..Plymouth..June	7 02	10 10	2 55
7 59	11 38	7 38	....Plymouth....	7 07	10 15	2 59
7 54	11 34	7 34	....Avondale....	7 12	10 20	3 03
7 50	11 30	7 30	....Nanticoke....	7 15	10 25	3 10
7 45	11 23	7 23	Hunlock's Creek	7 23	10 32	3 17
7 30	11 12	7 12	..Shickshinny..	7 37	10 44	3 30
7 18	11 00	7 00	..Hick's Ferry..	7 50	11 11	3 52
7 11	10 54	6 54	..Beach Haven..	7 57	1 06	3 58
7 05	10 47	6 47	....Berwick....	8 04	11 13	4 05
6 58	10 41	6 41	..Briar Creek..	8 10	11 20	4 12
6 54	10 38	6 38	..Willow Grove..	8 14	11 25	4 16
6 50	10 34	6 34	....Lime Ridge....	8 18	11 29	4 20
6 42	10 27	6 27	....Espy....	8 25	11 36	4 27
6 36	10 21	6 21	....Bloomsburg....	8 30	11 44	4 34
6 30	10 16	6 16	....Rupert....	8 36	1 50	4 40
6 25	10 11	6 11	Catawissa Bridge	8 41	11 55	4 46
6 08	9 56	5 56	....Danville....	8 58	12 13	5 04
6 00	9 49	5 49	....Chulasky....	9 05	12 20	5 12
5 55	9 45	5 45	....Cameron....	9 08	12 25	5 17
5 40	9 32	5 32	Northumberland	9 25	12 40	5 35
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.		a.m.	a.m.	p.m

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Two innocent children of God's own band.
We would marry when we grew up, we said,
Grave plans for the time to come we laid—
A small boy I, and a wee girl she,
In those bygone days—ah me! ah me!

We grew—we were married—Dolly and I,
At the quaint old church in the town close by;
The farm was purchased, the fees were paid—
"What a blithe young couple!" the neighbors said.
And so we were till the winds blew bleak,
And chilled the roses on Dolly's cheek,
Like the waning tide of a waveless sea,
Her life ebbed gently—ah me! ah me!

If you want to know why I ofttimes sigh,
You must come with me to the town close by;
You must see the church where our vows were said,
And the mound that covers the restful dead.
For my love is sleeping the quiet sleep
That the Shepherd gives to his wearied sheep—
And the world is not what it used to be,
Ere its sunlight faded for her and me.
—Nannie Power O'Donoghue.

The Politeness of French Children.

From an abstruse principle of political economy to the little responsibilities of French households may seem a somewhat abrupt digression. French children, if not better than American children, are certainly less aggressive. They are not often seen to quarrel among themselves—they are docile and tractable, comprehend and apply the common forms of politeness, are kind and affectionate to their parents and respectful to their elders. This is relatively true of the children of all classes, whether of the rich or poor, whether in the city or country. Even the Paris gamin, who is considered the type of all that is bad in French childhood and youth, rarely insults a stranger. He may be rude, noisy and indirectly troublesome, but he seldom, unless provoked, becomes meanly aggressive.

A foreigner may go into any part of Paris, or into any city or village of the departments, and no matter how peculiar his appearance, though he may be curiously looked at by the younger portion of the population, should he be hooted or sneered at, it would be the most extraordinary exception. When you enter a French family the younger members come to greet you with the rest. When you leave they are present to bid you a kind adieu. Little ones in France do not talk too much at table. In the family circle they are content to remain in the background. The politeness which seems artificial as they get older is with them graceful and natural, the genuine inspiration of an amiable character. Although there are family quarrels and disowned sons, especially among those who have fallen victims to the fascinations of Paris, the mutual affection of the members of a family for one another is one of the most charming features of French domestic life.—Paris Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.

Gross Cruelty of Austrian Police.

A great sensation was caused in the reichsrath at Vienna recently by a speech from one of the opposing members, Herr Kronawetter, who, in a discussion on the estimates for the state police service, accused the police of gross cruelty in their treatment of suspected socialists and of political offenders generally. He said the object of the police was always to extort confessions from those whom they arrested, and for this purpose they practiced the most ruthless brutality and trickery, keeping their victims for months in prison without trial.

He cited the case of a workman who was arrested on suspicion of being connected with a clandestine printing office. After being months in jail, he was promised pardon if he would confess, but the promise was not kept for he was sentenced to three years' imprisonment on his own confession, while a certain Eduard Prady, related to a former Liberal cabinet minister, was condemned to twelve years' confinement for the same affair. Herr Kronawetter declared that Prady's cell in the fortress of Pilsen was only six feet long, and that the wretched man was going mad. These revelations and others powerfully excited the opposition, who kept shouting: "It is infamous!" "It is slow murder!" Count Taaffa, however, made no answer.—Vienna Letter.

A Cause of Worldly-Mindedness.

"The reason the Shakers are decreasing in numbers," said Elder F. W. Evans, of the Mount Lebanon settlement recently, "is that their best energies have been devoted to cultivating their lands and advancing their material prosperity. Their lands have become so extensive that all the time and labor of the settlements are needed to care for their possessions. This is the root of the trouble. We have just discovered that the idea of the desirability of the acquisition of land which we took with us from the world is wrong. Land monopoly is one of the curses of the country. We must dispose of part of our farms and devote more time to missionary work and spreading the principles of which we believe to be for the good of the people. We have gone wrong and must correct our error."—Chicago Times.

Noted for His Benevolence.

The venerable Dr. Peabody, of Harvard, is noted for his benevolence. One warm day in summer he was coming into Boston from Cambridge. He had just left the horse car and was hurriedly turning the sharp corner near the Revere house, when he came near colliding with an old gentleman. The elderly-looking individual stood with his hat off wiping the perspiration from his brow, but he held his hat in such a position as to give the appearance that he was begging. Dr. Peabody, seeing only the hat, dropped 25 cents into it with his customary kind remark. Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, who was holding the hat, put the 25 cents into his pocket, solemnly thanked Dr. Peabody, and passed on.—Chicago Living Church.

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